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TI      Stepwise transplantation of an active site loop between heat-labile
      enterotoxins LT-II and LT-I and characterization of the obtained hybrid
      toxins.
AU      Feil I K; Platas A A; van den Akker F; Reddy R; Merritt E A; Storm D R;
      Hol W G
CS      Howard Hughes Medical Institute, Department of Biological Structure,
      University of Washington, Seattle 98195-7742, USA.
NC      AI 34501 (NIAID)
SO      PROTEIN ENGINEERING, (1998 Nov) 11 (11) 1103-9.
      Journal code: 8801484. ISSN: 0269-2139.
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DN      99053665      PubMed ID: 9839930
TI      Intranasal immunization with a plant virus expressing a peptide from HIV-1
      gp41 stimulates better mucosal and systemic HIV-1-specific IgA and IgG
      than oral immunization.
AU      Durrani Z; McInerney T L; McLain L; Jones T; Bellaby T; Brennan F R;
      Dimmock N J
CS      Department of Biological Sciences, University of Warwick, Coventry, UK.
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SO JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGICAL METHODS, (1998 Nov 1) 220 (1-2) 93-103.
 Journal code: 1305440. ISSN: 0022-1759.
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 AN 1999002398 MEDLINE
 DN 99002398 PubMed ID: 9788349
 TI A plant-based **cholera toxin B** subunit-insulin
fusion protein protects against the development of
 autoimmune diabetes.
 AU Arakawa T; Yu J; Chong D K; Hough J; Engen P C; Langridge W H
 CS Center for Molecular Biology and Gene Therapy, Department of Microbiology
 and Molecular Genetics, School of Medicine, Loma Linda University, CA
 92350, USA.
 SO NATURE BIOTECHNOLOGY, (1998 Oct) 16 (10) 934-8.
 Journal code: 9604648. ISSN: 1087-0156.
 CY United States
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 LA English
 FS Priority Journals
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 AN 1998442834 MEDLINE
 DN 98442834 PubMed ID: 9771891
 TI Loss of activation of Gs but not Gi following expression of an
 alpha2A-adrenoceptor-Gilalpha **fusion protein**.
 AU Sautel M; Milligan G
 CS Division of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Institute of Biomedical
 and Life Sciences, University of Glasgow, UK.
 SO FEBS LETTERS, (1998 Sep 25) 436 (1) 46-50.
 Journal code: 0155157. ISSN: 0014-5793.
 CY Netherlands
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
 LA English
 FS Priority Journals
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 DN 98407736 PubMed ID: 9737718
 TI Inhibition of TGF-beta-stimulated CTGF gene expression and
 anchorage-independent growth by cAMP identifies a CTGF-dependent
 restriction point in the cell cycle.
 AU Kothapalli D; Hayashi N; Grotendorst G R
 CS Department of Cell Biology and Anatomy, University of Miami School of
 Medicine, Florida 33136, USA.
 NC GM37223 (NIGMS)
 SO FASEB JOURNAL, (1998 Sep) 12 (12) 1151-61.
 Journal code: 8804484. ISSN: 0892-6638.
 CY United States

DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LA English
FS Priority Journals
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ED Entered STN: 19981008
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DN 98389309 PubMed ID: 9723916
TI Evidence that a globular conformation is not compatible with PhaC-mediated secretion of the Bordetella pertussis filamentous haemagglutinin.
AU Guedin S; Willery E; Loch C; Jacob-Dubuisson F
CS INSERM U447, IBL, Institut Pasteur de Lille, France.
SO MOLECULAR MICROBIOLOGY, (1998 Aug) 29 (3) 763-74.
Journal code: 8712028. ISSN: 0950-382X.
CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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AN 1998380378 MEDLINE
DN 98380378 PubMed ID: 9712781
TI Effectiveness of liposomes possessing surface-linked recombinant B subunit of **cholera toxin** as an oral antigen delivery system.
AU Harokopakis E; Hajishengallis G; Michalek S M
CS Departments of Microbiology and Oral Biology, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama 35294, USA.
NC AI 33544 (NIAID)
DE 08182 (NIDCR)
DE 09081 (NIDCR)
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SO INFECTION AND IMMUNITY, (1998 Sep) 66 (9) 4299-304.
Journal code: 0246127. ISSN: 0019-9567.
CY United States
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LA English
FS Priority Journals
EM 199810
ED Entered STN: 19981020
Last Updated on STN: 20000303
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AN 1998346502 MEDLINE
DN 98346502 PubMed ID: 9682972
TI A novel concept in mucosal adjuvanticity: the CTA1-DD adjuvant is a B cell-targeted **fusion protein** that incorporates the enzymatically active **cholera toxin** A1 subunit.
AU Agren L; Lowenadler B; Lycke N
CS Department of Medical Microbiology and Immunology, University of Goteborg, Sweden.
SO IMMUNOLOGY AND CELL BIOLOGY, (1998 Jun) 76 (3) 280-7. Ref: 47
Journal code: 8706300. ISSN: 0818-9641.
CY Australia
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
General Review; (REVIEW)
(REVIEW, TUTORIAL)

LA English
FS Priority Journals
EM 199904
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AN 1998285626 MEDLINE
DN 98285626 PubMed ID: 9621114
TI beta1,6 N-acetylglucosaminyltransferase (core 2 GlcNAc-T) expression in normal rat tissues and different cell lines: evidence for complex mechanisms of regulation.
AU VanderElst I E; Datti A
CS Department of Cell and Molecular Biology, Section of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, University of Perugia, 06126 Perugia, Italy.
SO GLYCOBIOLOGY, (1998 Jul) 8 (7) 731-40.
Journal code: 9104124. ISSN: 0959-6658.
CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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DN 98282451 PubMed ID: 9618729
TI Mapping of B epitopes in GRA4, a dense granule antigen of Toxoplasma gondii and protection studies using recombinant proteins administered by the oral route.
AU Mevelec M N; Mercereau-Puijalon O; Buzoni-Gatel D; Bourguin I; Chardes T; Dubremetz J F; Bout D
CS CJF INSERM 93-09, UFR des Sciences Pharmaceutiques, Tours, France.
SO PARASITE IMMUNOLOGY, (1998 Apr) 20 (4) 183-95.
Journal code: 7910948. ISSN: 0141-9838.
CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LA English
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AN 1998269904 MEDLINE
DN 98269904 PubMed ID: 9607021
TI Protection against measles virus-induced encephalitis by antibodies from mice immunized intranasally with a synthetic peptide immunogen.
AU Hathaway L J; Obeid O E; Steward M W
CS London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK.
SO VACCINE, (1998 Jan-Feb) 16 (2-3) 135-41.
Journal code: 8406899. ISSN: 0264-410X.
CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LA English
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 DN 98249000 PubMed ID: 9576833
 TI Notch4 and Wnt-1 proteins function to regulate branching morphogenesis of mammary epithelial cells in an opposing fashion.
 AU Uyttendaele H; Soriano J V; Montesano R; Kitajewski J
 CS Department of Pathology, Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York, New York 10032, USA.
 SO DEVELOPMENTAL BIOLOGY, (1998 Apr 15) 196 (2) 204-17.
 Journal code: 0372762. ISSN: 0012-1606.
 CY United States
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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 DN 98179119 PubMed ID: 9520296
 TI Fusions to the **cholera** toxin B subunit: influence on pentamerization and GM1 binding.
 AU Liljeqvist S; Stahl S; Andreoni C; Binz H; Uhlen M; Murby M
 CS Department of Biochemistry and Biotechnology, Kungliga Tekniska Hogskolan, Stockholm, Sweden.
 SO JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGICAL METHODS, (1997 Dec 29) 210 (2) 125-35.
 Journal code: 1305440. ISSN: 0022-1759.
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 TI Mucosal immunogenicity of a holotoxin-like molecule containing the serine-rich Entamoeba histolytica protein (SREHP) fused to the A2 domain of **cholera** toxin.
 AU Sultan F; Jin L L; Jobling M G; Holmes R K; Stanley S L Jr
 CS Department of Medicine, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri 63110, USA.
 NC AI01231 (NIAID)
 AI30084 (NIAID)
 AI31940 (NIAID)
 SO INFECTION AND IMMUNITY, (1998 Feb) 66 (2) 462-8.
 Journal code: 0246127. ISSN: 0019-9567.
 CY United States
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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DN 98096687 PubMed ID: 9435018
TI Construction and characterization of versatile cloning vectors for
efficient delivery of native foreign proteins to the periplasm of
Escherichia coli.
AU Jobling M G; Palmer L M; Erbe J L; Holmes R K
CS Department of Microbiology, University of Colorado Health Sciences Center,
Denver 80262, USA.
NC AI-31940 (NIAID)
SO PLASMID, (1997) 38 (3) 158-73.
Journal code: 7802221. ISSN: 0147-619X.
CY United States
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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EM 199803
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AN 1998089467 MEDLINE
DN 98089467 PubMed ID: 9427998
TI Evaluation of recombinant protein rl40, a polypeptide segment of
tegumental glycoprotein Sm25, as a defined antigen vaccine against
Schistosoma mansoni.
AU Suri P K; Goldberg M; Madikizela M; Petzke M M; Bungiro R D Jr; Davies S
J; Chakraborty B; Nguyen K B; McCray J W Jr; Knopf P M
CS Department of Molecular Microbiology and Immunology, Brown University,
Providence, RI 02912, USA.
NC 5-R01 AI31224 (NIAID)
SO PARASITE IMMUNOLOGY, (1997 Nov) 19 (11) 515-29.
Journal code: 7910948. ISSN: 0141-9838.
CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
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AN 1998085272 MEDLINE
DN 98085272 PubMed ID: 9423288
TI Expression of cholera toxin B subunit oligomers in
transgenic potato plants.
AU Arakawa T; Chong D K; Merritt J L; Langridge W H
CS Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics, School of Medicine,
Loma Linda University, CA 92350, USA.
SO TRANSGENIC RESEARCH, (1997 Nov) 6 (6) 403-13.
Journal code: 9209120. ISSN: 0962-8819.
CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
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AN 1998060840 MEDLINE
DN 98060840 PubMed ID: 9396750
TI Compartmentalized IgE receptor-mediated signal transduction in living

cells.

AU Stauffer T P; Meyer T
 CS Department of Cell Biology, Duke University Medical Center, Durham, North Carolina 27710, USA.
 NC GM-48113 (NIGMS)
 GM-51457 (NIGMS)
 SO JOURNAL OF CELL BIOLOGY, (1997 Dec 15) 139 (6) 1447-54.
 Journal code: 0375356. ISSN: 0021-9525.
 CY United States
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
 LA English
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 AN 1998035007 MEDLINE
 DN 98035007 PubMed ID: 9368632
 TI Strong mucosal adjuvanticity of **cholera toxin** within lipid particles of a new multiple emulsion delivery system for oral immunization.
 AU Tomasi M; Dertzbaugh M T; Hearn T; Hunter R L; Elson C O
 CS Division of Gastroenterology and Hepatology, University of Alabama at Birmingham 35294-0007, USA.
 NC 2U01 AI 33231 (NIAID)
 DK44240 (NIDDK)
 SO EUROPEAN JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGY, (1997 Oct) 27 (10) 2720-5.
 Journal code: 1273201. ISSN: 0014-2980.
 CY GERMANY: Germany, Federal Republic of
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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 AN 97426249 MEDLINE
 DN 97426249 PubMed ID: 9282953
 TI Functional coupling of endogenous serotonin (5-HT1B) and calcitonin (C1a) receptors in CHO cells to a cyclic AMP-responsive luciferase reporter gene.
 AU George S E; Bungay P J; Naylor L H
 CS Department of Biosciences, The University of Kent at Canterbury, England.
 SO JOURNAL OF NEUROCHEMISTRY, (1997 Sep) 69 (3) 1278-85.
 Journal code: 2985190R. ISSN: 0022-3042.
 CY United States
 DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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 AN 97378082 MEDLINE
 DN 97378082 PubMed ID: 9234763
 TI Oral immunization with attenuated vaccine strains of *Vibrio cholerae* expressing a dodecapeptide repeat of the serine-rich *Entamoeba histolytica* protein fused to the **cholera toxin** B subunit induces

systemic and mucosal antiamebic and anti-V. cholerae antibody responses in mice.

AU Ryan E T; Butters J R; Zhang T; Baker M A; Stanley S L Jr; Calderwood S B
CS Infectious Disease Unit, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston 02114, USA.
NC AI30084 (NIAID)
AI40725 (NIAID)
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SO INFECTION AND IMMUNITY, (1997 Aug) 65 (8) 3118-25.
Journal code: 0246127. ISSN: 0019-9567.
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AN 97346055 MEDLINE
DN 97346055 PubMed ID: 9202478
TI Authentic display of a cholera toxin epitope by chimeric type 1 fimbriae: effects of insert position and host background.
AU Stentebjerg-Olesen B; Pallesen L; Jensen L B; Christiansen G; Klemm P
CS Department of Microbiology, Technical University of Denmark, Lyngby, Denmark.
SO MICROBIOLOGY, (1997 Jun) 143 (Pt 6) 2027-38.
Journal code: 9430468. ISSN: 1350-0872.
CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
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AN 97332547 MEDLINE
DN 97332547 PubMed ID: 9188781
TI Gastric GATA-6 DNA-binding protein: proteolysis induced by cAMP.
AU Nakagawa R; Sato R; Futai M; Yokosawa H; Maeda M
CS Laboratory of Biochemistry, Faculty of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Osaka University, Suita, Japan.
SO FEBS LETTERS, (1997 May 26) 408 (3) 301-5.
Journal code: 0155157. ISSN: 0014-5793.
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DN 97303185 PubMed ID: 9159128
TI Conditional activation defect of a human Gsalpha mutant.
AU Iiri T; Farfel Z; Bourne H R
CS Department of Cellular and Molecular Pharmacology, S-1212, Box 0450,

University of California, San Francisco, CA 94143, USA.

NC GM27800 (NIGMS)
SO PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA, (1997 May 27) 94 (11) 5656-61.
Journal code: 7505876. ISSN: 0027-8424.
CY United States
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AN 97256623 MEDLINE
DN 97256623 PubMed ID: 9103464
TI Genetically engineered nontoxic vaccine adjuvant that combines B cell
targeting with immunomodulation by **cholera toxin A1**
subunit.
AU Agren L C; Ekman L; Lowenadler B; Lycke N Y
CS Department of Medical Microbiology and Immunology, University of Goteborg,
Sweden.
SO JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGY, (1997 Apr 15) 158 (8) 3936-46.
Journal code: 2985117R. ISSN: 0022-1767.
CY United States
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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EM 199705
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AN 97184691 MEDLINE
DN 97184691 PubMed ID: 9032075
TI A conserved infection pathway for filamentous bacteriophages is suggested
by the structure of the membrane penetration domain of the minor coat
protein g3p from phage fd.
AU Holliger P; Riechmann L
CS MRC Centre for Protein Engineering, MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology,
Hills Road, Cambridge CB2 2QH, UK.
SO STRUCTURE, (1997 Feb 15) 5 (2) 265-75.
Journal code: 9418985. ISSN: 0969-2126.
CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
LA English
FS Priority Journals
EM 199706
ED Entered STN: 19970612
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Entered Medline: 19970603

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AN 97158675 MEDLINE
DN 97158675 PubMed ID: 9006035
TI Autodisplay: one-component system for efficient surface display and
release of soluble recombinant proteins from Escherichia coli.
AU Maurer J; Jose J; Meyer T F
CS Abteilung Infektionsbiologie, Max-Planck-Institut fur Biologie, Tubingen,
Germany.
SO JOURNAL OF BACTERIOLOGY, (1997 Feb) 179 (3) 794-804.
Journal code: 2985120R. ISSN: 0021-9193.

CY United States
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AN 97144430 MEDLINE
DN 97144430 PubMed ID: 8990197
TI Cyclic AMP and its receptor protein negatively regulate the coordinate expression of **cholera toxin** and toxin-coregulated pilus in *Vibrio cholerae*.
AU Skorupski K; Taylor R K
CS Department of Microbiology, Dartmouth Medical School, Hanover, NH 03755, USA.. karen.skorupski@dartmouth.edu
NC AI-25096 (NIAID)
AI-39654 (NIAID)
SO PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, (1997 Jan 7) 94 (1) 265-70.
Journal code: 7505876. ISSN: 0027-8424.

CY United States
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AN 97080554 MEDLINE
DN 97080554 PubMed ID: 8921899
TI Absence of periplasmic DsbA oxidoreductase facilitates export of cysteine-containing passenger proteins to the *Escherichia coli* cell surface via the Iga beta autotransporter pathway.
AU Jose J; Kramer J; Klauser T; Pohlner J; Meyer T F
CS Max-Planck-Institut fur Biologie, Abteilung Infektionsbiologie, Tübingen, Germany.
SO GENE, (1996 Oct 31) 178 (1-2) 107-10.
Journal code: 7706761. ISSN: 0378-1119.

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TI Expression of the **cholera toxin** B subunit in the Golgi apparatus of Swiss 3T3 cells inhibits DNA synthesis induced by basic fibroblast growth factor.
AU Hashimoto Y; Oshima A; Narimatsu H; Suzuki A
CS Department of Membrane Biochemistry, Tokyo Metropolitan Institute of Medical Science.

SO JOURNAL OF BIOCHEMISTRY, (1996 May) 119 (5) 985-90.
 Journal code: 0376600. ISSN: 0021-924X.
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 TI Cloning and characterization of a novel membrane-associated lymphocyte
 NAD:arginine ADP-ribosyltransferase.
 AU Okazaki I J; Kim H J; Moss J
 CS Pulmonary-Critical Care Medicine Branch, NHLBI, National Institutes of
 Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, USA.
 SO JOURNAL OF BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY, (1996 Sep 6) 271 (36) 22052-7.
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 DN 96291678 PubMed ID: 8764508
 TI Construction of CTB **fusion proteins** for screening of
 monoclonal antibodies against Salmonella typhi OmpC peptide loops.
 AU Paniagua-Solis J; Sanchez J; Ortiz-Navarrete V; Gonzalez C R; Isibasi A
 CS Unidad de Investigacion Medica en Inmunquimica, Hospital de
 Especialidades, Instituto Mexicano del Seguro Social, Mexico City, Mexico.
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 TI Distinct effects of recombinant **cholera toxin B**
 subunit and holotoxin on different stages of class II MHC antigen
 processing and presentation by macrophages.
 AU Matousek M P; Nedrud J G; Harding C V
 CS Institute of Pathology, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio
 44106, USA.
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 HL 37117 (NHLBI)
 SO JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGY, (1996 Jun 1) 156 (11) 4137-45.

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DN 96165262 PubMed ID: 8576041
TI Genetic analysis of the interaction between Vibrio cholerae transcription activator ToxR and toxT promoter DNA.
AU Higgins D E; DiRita V J
CS Department of Microbiology and Immunology, University of Michigan Medical School, Ann Arbor 48109, USA.
NC AI-31645 (NIAID)
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RR-00200 (NCRR)
SO JOURNAL OF BACTERIOLOGY, (1996 Feb) 178 (4) 1080-7.
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DN 96164461 PubMed ID: 8578832
TI Induction of systemic immune responses to measles virus synthetic peptides administered intranasally.
AU Hathaway L J; Partidos C D; Vohra P; Steward M W
CS Department of Clinical Sciences, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK.
SO VACCINE, (1995 Nov) 13 (16) 1495-500.
Journal code: 8406899. ISSN: 0264-410X.
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DN 96146748 PubMed ID: 8553582
TI Priming of measles virus-specific CTL responses after immunization with a CTL epitope linked to a fusogenic peptide.
AU Partidos C D; Vohra P; Steward M W
CS Department of Clinical Sciences, London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, United Kingdom.
SO VIROLOGY, (1996 Jan 1) 215 (1) 107-10.
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TI Detection of arginine-ADP-ribosylated protein using recombinant ADP-ribosylarginine hydrolase.
AU Ohno T; Tsuchiya M; Osago H; Hara N; Jidoi J; Shimoyama M
CS Department of Biochemistry, Shimane Medical University, Japan.
SO ANALYTICAL BIOCHEMISTRY, (1995 Oct 10) 231 (1) 115-22.
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DN 96096516 PubMed ID: 8522171
TI Characterization of an internal permissive site in the **cholera toxin** B-subunit and insertion of epitopes from human immunodeficiency virus-1, hepatitis B virus and enterotoxigenic Escherichia coli.
AU Bckstrom M; Holmgren J; Schodel F; Lebens M
CS Department of Medical Microbiology and Immunology, Goteborg University, Sweden.
SO GENE, (1995 Nov 20) 165 (2) 163-71.
Journal code: 7706761. ISSN: 0378-1119.
CY Netherlands
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DN 96021579 PubMed ID: 7483767
TI Gene fusion of **cholera toxin** B subunit and HBV PreS2 epitope and the antigenicity of **fusion protein**.
AU Shi C H; Cao C; Xhig J S; Li J; Ma Q J
CS Molecular Genetics Center, Institute of Biotechnology, Beijing, Republic of China.
SO VACCINE, (1995 Jul) 13 (10) 933-7.
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 DN 96003899 PubMed ID: 7575483
 TI Quantification of signalling components and amplification in the
 beta-adrenergic-receptor-adenylate cyclase pathway in isolated adult rat
 ventricular myocytes.
 AU Post S R; Hilal-Dandan R; Urasawa K; Brunton L L; Insel P A
 CS Department of Pharmacology, University of California, San Diego, La Jolla
 92093-0636, USA.
 NC GM40781 (NIGMS)
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 DN 95387387 PubMed ID: 7658465
 TI Immunoglobulin mutant library genetically screened for folding stability
 exploiting bacterial signal transduction.
 AU Kolmar H; Frisch C; Gotze K; Fritz H J
 CS Institut fur Molekulare Genetik, Gottingen, F.R.G.
 SO JOURNAL OF MOLECULAR BIOLOGY, (1995 Aug 25) 251 (4) 471-6.
 Journal code: 2985088R. ISSN: 0022-2836.
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 DN 95278726 PubMed ID: 7758939
 TI C-terminal glycine-histidine tagging of the outer membrane protein Iga
 beta of Neisseria gonorrhoeae.
 AU Strauss A; Pohlner J; Klauser T; Meyer T F
 CS Max-Planck-Institut fur Biologie, Abteilung Infektionsbiologie, Tübingen,
 Germany.
 SO FEMS MICROBIOLOGY LETTERS, (1995 Apr 1) 127 (3) 249-54.
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 DN 95278516 PubMed ID: 7758745

TI A pleiotropic secretion mutant of *Aeromonas hydrophila* is unable to secrete heterologously expressed *E. coli* enterotoxin: implication for common mechanisms of protein secretion.
 AU Yu J; Hirst T R
 CS Research School of Biosciences, University of Kent, Canterbury, U.K.
 SO BIOCHEMICAL SOCIETY TRANSACTIONS, (1995 Feb) 23 (1) 34S.
 Journal code: 7506897. ISSN: 0300-5127.
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 AN 95267992 MEDLINE
 DN 95267992 PubMed ID: 7538334
 TI Role of cyclic nucleotides and nitric oxide in blood mononuclear cell IgE production stimulated by IL-4.
 AU Paul-Eugene N; Pene J; Bousquet J; Dugas B
 CS INSERM/CJF 92-10, Hopital Arnaud de Villeneuve, Montpellier, France.
 SO CYTOKINE, (1995 Jan) 7 (1) 64-9.
 Journal code: 9005353. ISSN: 1043-4666.
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 DN 95255224 PubMed ID: 7737119
 TI Interaction between the autokinase EpsE and EpsL in the cytoplasmic membrane is required for extracellular secretion in *Vibrio cholerae*.
 AU Sandkvist M; Bagdasarian M; Howard S P; DiRita V J
 CS University of Michigan Medical School, Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Ann Arbor, USA.
 NC AI-31645 (NIAID)
 MO1 RR-00024 (NCRR)
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 SO EMBO JOURNAL, (1995 Apr 18) 14 (8) 1664-73.
 Journal code: 8208664. ISSN: 0261-4189.
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 DN 95201292 PubMed ID: 7894059
 TI The accessory colonization factor and toxin-coregulated pilus gene clusters are physically linked on the *Vibrio cholerae* 0395 chromosome.
 AU Everiss K D; Hughes K J; Peterson K M
 CS Department of Microbiology and Immunology, Louisiana State University

Medical Center, Shreveport 71130-3932.

NC AI 28502 (NIAID)

SO DNA SEQUENCE, (1994) 5 (1) 51-5.
Journal code: 9107800. ISSN: 1042-5179.

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DN 95197259 PubMed ID: 7890393

TI Oral immunization with the dodecapeptide repeat of the serine-rich Entamoeba histolytica protein (SREHP) fused to the **cholera toxin** B subunit induces a mucosal and systemic anti-SREHP antibody response.

AU Zhang T; Li E; Stanley S L Jr

CS Department of Medicine, Washington University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri 63110.

NC AI01231 (NIAID)
DK02072 (NIDDK)
R01AI30084 (NIAID)

SO INFECTION AND IMMUNITY, (1995 Apr) 63 (4) 1349-55.
Journal code: 0246127. ISSN: 0019-9567.

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LA English

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DN 95152368 PubMed ID: 7849584

TI Protein crystallography and infectious diseases.

AU Verlinde C L; Merritt E A; Van den Akker F; Kim H; Feil I; Delboni L F; Mande S C; Sarfaty S; Petra P H; Hol W G

CS Department of Biological Structure, University of Washington, Seattle 98195.

NC AI3450 (NIAID)

SO PROTEIN SCIENCE, (1994 Oct) 3 (10) 1670-86. Ref: 112
Journal code: 9211750. ISSN: 0961-8368.

CY United States

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DN 95128188 PubMed ID: 7827509

TI Recombinant **cholera toxin** B subunit in Escherichia

coli: high-level secretion, purification, and characterization.
AU Slos P; Speck D; Accart N; Kolbe H V; Schubnel D; Bouchon B; Bischoff R;
Kieny M P
CS Department of Bacterial Vectors, TRANSGENE S. A., Strasbourg, France.
SO PROTEIN EXPRESSION AND PURIFICATION, (1994 Oct) 5 (5) 518-26.
Journal code: 9101496. ISSN: 1046-5928.
CY United States
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AN 95089685 MEDLINE
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TI Analysis of membrane protein interaction: ToxR can dimerize the amino
terminus of phage lambda repressor.
AU Dziejman M; Mekalanos J J
CS Department of Microbiology and Molecular Genetics, Harvard Medical School,
Boston, Massachusetts 02115.
NC AI-18045 (NIAID)
SO MOLECULAR MICROBIOLOGY, (1994 Aug) 13 (3) 485-94.
Journal code: 8712028. ISSN: 0950-382X.
CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
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L1 ANSWER 100 OF 143 MEDLINE
AN 95047479 MEDLINE
DN 95047479 PubMed ID: 7525413
TI Insertion of a HIV-1-neutralizing epitope in a surface-exposed internal
region of the **cholera toxin** B-subunit.
AU Backstrom M; Lebens M; Schodel F; Holmgren J
CS Department of Medical Microbiology and Immunology, University of Goteborg,
Sweden.
SO GENE, (1994 Nov 18) 149 (2) 211-7.
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AN 1999002398 MEDLINE
DN 99002398 PubMed ID: 9788349
TI A plant-based **cholera toxin** B subunit-insulin
fusion protein protects against the development of

autoimmune diabetes.

AU Arakawa T; Yu J; Chong D K; Hough J; Engen P C; Langridge W H
CS Center for Molecular Biology and Gene Therapy, Department of Microbiology
and Molecular Genetics, School of Medicine, Loma Linda University, CA
92350, USA.
SO NATURE BIOTECHNOLOGY, (1998 Oct) 16 (10) 934-8.
Journal code: 9604648. ISSN: 1087-0156.
CY United States
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EM 199812
ED Entered STN: 19990115
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AB Oral administration of disease-specific autoantigens can prevent or delay
the onset of autoimmune disease symptoms. We have generated transgenic
potato plants that synthesize human insulin, a major insulin-dependent
diabetes mellitus autoantigen, at levels up to 0.05% of total soluble
protein. To direct delivery of plant-synthesized insulin to the
gut-associated lymphoid tissues, insulin was linked to the C-terminus of
the **cholera toxin B subunit (CTB)**. Transgenic potato
tubers produced 0.1% of total soluble protein as the pentameric
CTB-insulin fusion, which retained GM1-ganglioside binding affinity and
native antigenicity of both CTB and insulin. Nonobese diabetic mice fed
transformed potato tuber tissues containing microgram amounts of the
CTB-insulin **fusion protein** showed a substantial
reduction in pancreatic islet inflammation (insulitis), and a delay in the
progression of clinical diabetes. Feeding transgenic potato tissues
producing insulin or CTB protein alone did not provide a significant
reduction in insulitis or diabetic symptoms. The experimental results
indicate that food plants are feasible production and delivery systems for
immunotolerization against this T cell-mediated autoimmune disease.

L1 ANSWER 56 OF 143 MEDLINE
AN 1998380378 MEDLINE
DN 98380378 PubMed ID: 9712781
TI Effectiveness of liposomes possessing surface-linked recombinant B subunit
of **cholera toxin** as an oral antigen delivery system.
AU Harokopakis E; Hajishengallis G; Michalek S M
CS Departments of Microbiology and Oral Biology, University of Alabama at
Birmingham, Birmingham, Alabama 35294, USA.
NC AI 33544 (NIAID)
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SO INFECTION AND IMMUNITY, (1998 Sep) 66 (9) 4299-304.
Journal code: 0246127. ISSN: 0019-9567.
CY United States
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LA English
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EM 199810
ED Entered STN: 19981020
Last Updated on STN: 20000303
Entered Medline: 19981002
AB Liposomes appear to be a promising oral antigen delivery system for the
development of vaccines against infectious diseases, although their uptake
efficiency by Peyer's patches in the gut and the subsequent induction of
mucosal immunoglobulin A (IgA) responses remain a major concern. Aiming at
targeted delivery of liposomal immunogens, we have previously reported the
conjugation via a thioether bond of the GM1 ganglioside-binding subunit of
cholera toxin (CTB) to the liposomal outer surface. In
the present study, we have investigated the effectiveness of liposomes

containing the saliva-binding region (SBR) of *Streptococcus mutans* AgI/II adhesin and possessing surface-linked recombinant CTB (rCTB) in generating mucosal (salivary, vaginal, and intestinal) IgA as well as serum IgG responses to the parent molecule, AgI/II. Responses in mice given a single oral dose of the rCTB-conjugated liposomes were compared to those in mice given one of the following unconjugated liposome preparations: (i) empty liposomes, (ii) liposomes containing SBR, (iii) liposomes containing SBR and coadministered with rCTB, and (iv) liposomes containing SBR plus rCTB. Three weeks after the primary immunization, significantly higher levels of mucosal IgA and serum IgG antibodies to AgI/II were observed in the rCTB-conjugated group than in mice given the unconjugated liposome preparations, although the latter mice received a booster dose at week 9. The antibody responses in mice immunized with rCTB-conjugated liposomes persisted at high levels for at least 6 months, at which time (week 26) a recall immunization significantly augmented the responses. In general, mice given unconjugated liposome preparations required one or two booster immunizations to develop a substantial anti-AgI/II antibody response, which was more prominent in the group given coencapsulated SBR and rCTB. These data indicate that conjugation of rCTB to liposomes greatly enhances their effectiveness as an antigen delivery system. This oral immunization strategy should be applicable for the development of vaccines against oral, intestinal, or sexually transmitted diseases.

L1 ANSWER 57 OF 143 MEDLINE
AN 1998346502 MEDLINE
DN 98346502 PubMed ID: 9682972
TI A novel concept in mucosal adjuvanticity: the CTA1-DD adjuvant is a B cell-targeted **fusion protein** that incorporates the enzymatically active **cholera toxin** A1 subunit.
AU Agren L; Lowenadler B; Lycke N
CS Department of Medical Microbiology and Immunology, University of Goteborg, Sweden.
SO IMMUNOLOGY AND CELL BIOLOGY, (1998 Jun) 76 (3) 280-7. Ref: 47
Journal code: 8706300. ISSN: 0818-9641.
CY Australia
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General Review; (REVIEW)
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EM 199904
ED Entered STN: 19990426
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AB A promising novel concept in mucosal adjuvant research is demonstrated here. The adjuvant and toxic effects of the **cholera toxin** (CT) have been successfully separated in a gene **fusion protein**, CTA1-DD. This protein consists of the ADP-ribosylating A1 subunit of CT linked to a synthetic analogue of protein A. The CTA1-DD protein was found to exert comparable adjuvant activity to that of CT after systemic as well as mucosal immunizations with soluble protein antigens, such as KLH or ovalbumin (OVA). However, contrary to CT it was completely non-toxic. The CTA1-DD approach to the construction of a potential vaccine adjuvant is unique and highly promising. Conceptually, the CTA1-DD **fusion protein** demonstrates that: (i) contrary to CT the CTA1-DD is a highly targeted adjuvant, directed to B cells and possibly other antigen-presenting cells; (ii) it is possible to introduce ADP-ribosyltransferase activity into cells via an alternative pathway to the GM1 receptor pathway used by CT; (iii) the adjuvant effect of CTA1-DD, and possibly also of CT, depend on the enzymatic activity; and (iv) one possible mechanism, shared by CT, that may explain the adjuvant effect of CTA1-DD is its ability to induce expression of the costimulatory molecule CD86 on B cells.

L1 ANSWER 58 OF 143 MEDLINE
 AN 1998285626 MEDLINE
 DN 98285626 PubMed ID: 9621114
 TI beta1,6 N-acetylglucosaminyltransferase (core 2 GlcNAc-T) expression in normal rat tissues and different cell lines: evidence for complex mechanisms of regulation.
 AU VanderElst I E; Datti A
 CS Department of Cell and Molecular Biology, Section of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, University of Perugia, 06126 Perugia, Italy.
 SO GLYCOBIOLOGY, (1998 Jul) 8 (7) 731-40.
 Journal code: 9104124. ISSN: 0959-6658.
 CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
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 EM 199808
 ED Entered STN: 19980820
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 AB The distribution of the Golgi enzyme beta1, 6-N-acetylglucosaminyltransferase (core 2 GlcNAc-T for short) has been investigated in several tissue and cell systems by combining the potentials of a polyclonal antibody and a novel, sensitive fluorescent enzyme assay. In normal rat tissues, levels of the protein were found to vary and as a general trend did not correlate with enzyme activities. Additionally, we observed tissue-specific core 2 GlcNAc-T forms of various size: 75 kDa (liver), 70 kDa (spleen), 60 kDa (heart), and 50 kDa (heart and lung). These forms might arise from differential protein modifications; alternatively, the smaller form may be a product of proteolytic cleavage, given the presence of a catalytically inactive 50 kDa species in rat serum. Chinese hamster ovary (CHO), MDAY-D2, PSA-5E, and PYS-2 cell lines consistently displayed a 70 kDa enzyme. When induced to retrodifferentiate in the presence of butyrate + **cholera toxin**, CHO cells exhibited a 21-fold increase in enzyme activity, while protein levels remained constant. A similar trend was observed in the embryonal endoderm cell lines PSA-5E and PYS-2, where an approximately 100-fold difference in core 2 GlcNAc-T activity was found notwithstanding unchanged amounts of the protein and identical mRNA levels, as evidenced by RT-PCR. In contrast, levels of core 2 GlcNAc-T activity in MDAY-D2 cells correlated well with protein expression. Taken together, these observations demonstrate that core 2 GlcNAc-T expression may be subjected to multiple mechanisms of regulation and suggest that in at least some instances (i.e., PSA-5E and PYS-2 cells) expression may be regulated exclusively via posttranslational mechanism(s) of control.

L1 ANSWER 59 OF 143 MEDLINE
 AN 1998282451 MEDLINE
 DN 98282451 PubMed ID: 9618729
 TI Mapping of B epitopes in GRA4, a dense granule antigen of Toxoplasma gondii and protection studies using recombinant proteins administered by the oral route.
 AU Mevelec M N; Mercereau-Puijalon O; Buzoni-Gatel D; Bourguin I; Chardes T; Dubremetz J F; Bout D
 CS CJF INSERM 93-09, UFR des Sciences Pharmaceutiques, Tours, France.
 SO PARASITE IMMUNOLOGY, (1998 Apr) 20 (4) 183-95.
 Journal code: 7910948. ISSN: 0141-9838.
 CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom
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AB GRA4, a dense granule protein of *Toxoplasma gondii* elicits both mucosal and systemic immune responses following oral infection of mice with cysts. We studied the antigenicity and immunogenicity of truncated and soluble forms of GRA4 expressed as glutathione S-transferase **fusion proteins** in *Escherichia coli*. Protein C (amino-acids 297-345) was particularly well recognized by serum IgG antibodies, milk IgA antibodies and intestinal IgA antibodies from *T. gondii* infected mice and by serum IgG antibodies from *T. gondii* infected humans and *T. gondii* infected sheep. One major B epitope was localized within the last 11 C-terminal residues of GRA4. A second epitope, recognized with lower frequency, was mapped within the region 318-334. In contrast, the N domain of GRA4 (amino acids 25-276) was poorly recognized. Oral immunization of C57BL/6 mice with N, C or NC (amino acids 25-276 fused to 297-345) in association with **cholera toxin** induced a significant production of serum anti-GRA4 IgG antibodies but a weak and inconsistent intestinal anti-GRA4 IgG antibody response and afforded partial resistance to oral infection with *T. gondii*. These results provide new molecular and immunological understanding of GRA4 and indicate that it is a potential candidate for oral vaccination against *T. gondii*.

L1 ANSWER 60 OF 143 MEDLINE

AN 1998269904 MEDLINE

DN 98269904 PubMed ID: 9607021

TI Protection against measles virus-induced encephalitis by antibodies from mice immunized intranasally with a synthetic peptide immunogen.

AU Hathaway L J; Obeid O E; Steward M W

CS London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine, UK.

SO VACCINE, (1998 Jan-Feb) 16 (2-3) 135-41.

Journal code: 8406899. ISSN: 0264-410X.

CY ENGLAND: United Kingdom

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AB Balb/c mice were immunized intranasally (i.n.) with a chimeric synthetic peptide containing two copies of a T- and one copy of a B-cell epitope (TTB) from measles virus (MV) **fusion protein**, plus **cholera toxin B (CTB)** adjuvant. The antibodies induced cross-reacted with, and neutralized MV and on passive transfer, protected mice against encephalitis induced by neuroadapted MV. Immunization with TTB alone induced antibodies which increased survival but not significantly compared to controls. Furthermore, i.n. immunization with TTB plus CTB induced TTB-specific IgA antibodies in saliva and nasal washes. Co-administration of CTB increased the affinity of antibodies to the B-cell epitope of TTB and caused a relative increase in the level of anti-peptide antibodies of the IgG2a subclass and the overall titre of IgG antibodies. These results indicate the potential of the i.n. route for immunization with synthetic peptide immunogens for induction of both local and systemic anti-peptide antibody responses.

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AN 1998085272 MEDLINE

DN 98085272 PubMed ID: 9423288

TI Expression of **cholera toxin B** subunit oligomers in transgenic potato plants.

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AB A gene encoding the **cholera toxin B subunit protein** (CTB), fused to an endoplasmic reticulum (ER) retention signal (SEKDEL) was inserted adjacent to the bi-directional mannopine synthase P2 promoter in a plant expression vector containing a bacterial luciferase AB fusion gene (luxF) linked to the P1 promoter. Potato leaf explants were transformed by *Agrobacterium tumefaciens* carrying the vector and kanamycin-resistant plants were regenerated. The CTB-SEKDEL fusion gene was identified in the genomic DNA of bioluminescent plants by polymerase chain reaction amplification. Immunoblot analysis indicated that plant-derived CTB protein was antigenically indistinguishable from bacterial CTB protein, and that oligomeric CTB molecules (M(r) approximately 50 kDa) were the dominant molecular species isolated from transgenic potato leaf and tuber tissues. Similar to bacterial CTB, plant-synthesized CTB dissociated into monomers (M(r) approximately 15 kDa) during heat or acid treatment. The maximum amount of CTB protein detected in auxin-induced transgenic potato leaf and tuber tissues was approximately 0.3% of total soluble plant protein. Enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay methods indicated that plant-synthesized CTB protein bound specifically to GM1-ganglioside, the natural membrane receptor of **cholera toxin**. In the presence of the SEKDEL signal, CTB protein accumulates in potato tissues and is assembled into an oligomeric form that retains native biochemical and immunological properties. The expression of oligomeric CTB protein with immunological and biochemical properties identical to native CTB protein in edible plants opens the way for preparation of inexpensive food plant-based oral vaccines for protection against cholera and other pathogens in endemic areas throughout the world.

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 AN 1998035007 MEDLINE
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 TI Strong mucosal adjuvanticity of **cholera toxin** within lipid particles of a new multiple emulsion delivery system for oral immunization.
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 SO EUROPEAN JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGY, (1997 Oct) 27 (10) 2720-5.
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 CY GERMANY: Germany, Federal Republic of
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AB **Cholera toxin** (CT) is an effective mucosal adjuvant but causes significant intestinal secretion which limits its usefulness. In the present study we developed a new multiple emulsion (ME) delivery system into which antigen and CT could be incorporated and asked whether CT would retain its mucosal adjuvanticity when sequestered within emulsion particles. ME were selectively taken up into Peyer's patches, and those containing antigen plus CT generated intestinal secretory IgA and serum IgG antibody responses in mice comparable quantitatively and qualitatively

to those occurring after oral immunization with soluble antigen plus CT. The ME particles containing CT did not cause intestinal secretion. The adjuvant activity of CT within ME was due to the CT present in the inner aqueous phase of the ME and was lost if CT binding was blocked by pre-incubation with GM1 ganglioside. Proteins incorporated in ME were protected from external acid, protease, and bile. We conclude that CT sequestered in ME, although unable to bind to the epithelium and thus stimulate intestinal secretion, still retains its mucosal adjuvant activity. Thus, the ability of CT to bind to enterocytes is not obligatory for its mucosal adjuvant activity.

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 AN 97256623 MEDLINE
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 TI Genetically engineered nontoxic vaccine adjuvant that combines B cell targeting with immunomodulation by **cholera toxin A1** subunit.
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 SO JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGY, (1997 Apr 15) 158 (8) 3936-46.
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 AB **Cholera toxin** (CT) is an exceptionally potent adjuvant but, unfortunately, also very toxic. Here we present a powerful new approach to separate toxicity from adjuvant activity by constructing a **fusion protein** that combines the enzymatically active **cholera toxin A1** subunit (CTA1) with targeting to B cells. The CTA1 was genetically linked at its C-terminal end to two Ig-binding domains, DD, of staphylococcal protein A and produced in *Escherichia coli*. The highly purified, monomeric CTA1-DD **fusion protein**, with a molecular mass of 37 kDa, was found to exhibit strong ADP-ribosyltransferase activity and bound, via the DD moiety, to both Fc and Fab fragments and to all IgG subclasses--IgE, IgA, and IgM. After i.v. injection of the **fusion protein**, FACS analysis revealed binding of CTA1-DD to splenic IgM+ B cells, but not CD3+ T cells, indicating cell-specific targeting in vivo. Strikingly, we found that the adjuvant ability of CTA1-DD to enhance systemic IgG as well as mucosal IgA responses to the unrelated Ags, OVA, or keyhole limpet hemocyanin, administered i.v or intranasally, was comparable to that of intact CT. In addition, the enhancing effect on specific IgG1, IgG2a, and IgG2b responses mimicked that of CT and suggested involvement of both Th1 and Th2 CD4+ T cell activity. The CTA1-DD, as well as CT, up-regulated expression of the CD80 and CD86 molecules on the targeted B cells, indicating that enhanced T cell costimulation may be responsible for the adjuvant effect. Contrary to CT, however, CTA1-DD was completely nontoxic. Thus, the CTA1-DD adjuvant should find general applicability in systemic and mucosal vaccines, and the strategy used may also be explored for other regimens requiring targeted immunomodulation.

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 AN 96291678 MEDLINE
 DN 96291678 PubMed ID: 8764508
 TI Construction of CTB **fusion proteins** for screening of monoclonal antibodies against *Salmonella typhi* OmpC peptide loops.
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 SO FEMS MICROBIOLOGY LETTERS, (1996 Jul 15) 141 (1) 31-6.
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 EM 199703
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 AB Mice were immunized with resin-bound peptides whose sequences have been proposed to be part of exposed loops in Salmonella typhi outer membrane protein OmpC. To screen hybridomas for monoclonal antibodies against those epitopes, we designed **fusion proteins** where the candidate peptide sequence was attached to the amino end of **cholera toxin B-subunit (CTB)**. The constructed **fusion proteins** allowed the efficient selection of positive clones by GMI-ELISA. Selected antibodies recognized purified OmpC and whole Salmonella bacteria. This suggests a native structure of our genetically attached peptides in agreement with immunological properties reported for previous CTB recombinant **fusion proteins**. In a more general context, CTB hybrids could be used to screen for antibodies towards immunogenic epitopes in other systems. This might turn out to be particularly useful when producing antibodies against peptide sequences in microorganisms whose handling is difficult or that pose inherent health risks.

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 AN 96247628 MEDLINE
 DN 96247628 PubMed ID: 8666780
 TI Distinct effects of recombinant **cholera toxin B** subunit and holotoxin on different stages of class II MHC antigen processing and presentation by macrophages.
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 SO JOURNAL OF IMMUNOLOGY, (1996 Jun 1) 156 (11) 4137-45.
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 EM 199608
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 AB **Cholera toxin (CT)** is a potent mucosal adjuvant with enhancing effects on Ag presentation, although the mechanisms of its adjuvanticity remain poorly understood. Using an in vitro Ag presentation assay, we found CT and recombinant B subunit (rCTB) to have distinct effects on different stages of processing and class II MHC (MHC-II)-restricted presentation of hen egg lysozyme (HEL). CT treatment of macrophages resulted in enhanced presentation of soluble HEL(48-61) peptide to 3A9 hybridoma cells. However, CT had inhibitory effects on intracellular processing of soluble native Ag. Thus, CT inhibited presentation when added prior to HEL, whereas presentation was enhanced when CT was added after HEL exposure and the generation of peptide-MHC-II complexes. Pretreatment of macrophages with CT also markedly inhibited phagocytic processing of a Crl-HEL **fusion protein** (containing the HEL(48-61) epitope) expressed in intact bacteria

(*Escherichia coli* HB101.Crl-HEL or *Salmonella typhimurium* 14028s.Crl-HEL), whereas addition of CT to macrophages after a 2-h incubation with the bacteria again enhanced presentation. CT produced little effect on overall uptake and catabolism of radiolabeled HEL or HB101.Crl-HEL. In contrast to the holotoxin, purified rCTB subunit did not inhibit intracellular processing of soluble or bacterial Ag, although it similarly enhanced the presentation of surface HEL-(48-61)-I-Ak complexes to 3A9 cells. These data suggest that the inhibitory effects of CT on Ag processing are mediated by the A subunit.

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 AN 96164461 MEDLINE
 DN 96164461 PubMed ID: 8578832
 TI Induction of systemic immune responses to measles virus synthetic peptides administered intranasally.
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 SO VACCINE, (1995 Nov) 13 (16) 1495-500.
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 AB A systemic antibody response was induced when a chimeric peptide containing two copies of a promiscuous T-cell epitope and one copy of a B-cell epitope (TTB) from the **fusion protein** of measles virus (MV) was administered to mice intranasally without adjuvant. A higher antibody titre was produced when the peptide was administered intranasally with **cholera toxin** B subunit (CTB) as an adjuvant and these antibodies crossreacted with the MV. Furthermore, splenocytes from intranasally immunized mice proliferated in vitro in the presence of the TTB peptide. The immune response following intranasal immunization with the peptide was influenced by the MHC haplotype of the strain of mice used. Thus CBA and BALB/c mice were high responders whereas C57BL/6 mice were low responders. Although peptide administered intranasally with CTB to CBA mice induced an immune response, no significant protection was observed against intra-cranial challenge with canine distemper virus which is antigenically related to MV.

L1 ANSWER 87 OF 143 MEDLINE
 AN 96096516 MEDLINE
 DN 96096516 PubMed ID: 8522171
 TI Characterization of an internal permissive site in the **cholera toxin** B-subunit and insertion of epitopes from human immunodeficiency virus-1, hepatitis B virus and enterotoxigenic *Escherichia coli*.
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 SO GENE, (1995 Nov 20) 165 (2) 163-71.
 Journal code: 7706761. ISSN: 0378-1119.
 CY Netherlands
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AB We previously described the construction of novel hybrid proteins based on the B-subunit of **cholera toxin** (CTB) [Backstrom et al., Gene 149 (1994) 211-217], in which a neutralizing B-cell epitope from the third variable (V3) loop in the envelope glycoprotein gp120 from human immunodeficiency virus type 1 (HIV-1) was inserted within a surface-exposed region between amino acids (aa) 55 and 64. The resulting protein retained properties of native CTB and could induce strong anti-CTB antibody (Ab) responses, but the inserted gp120 epitope was only modestly immunogenic. In this study, the potential use of this internal permissive site in CTB for the insertion of heterologous epitopes has been further investigated. Six additional plasmids were constructed encoding HIV::CTB hybrid proteins with ten to fourteen aa from the V3 loop of gp120 genetically inserted at different positions between aa 52 and 65, with deletions of different CTB aa. Plasmids encoding proteins with peptides inserted between aa 53 and 64 in CTB gave rise to stable proteins which reacted with CTB-specific monoclonal antibodies (mAb) and bound to GM1 gangliosides (GM1), indicating that insertions between these positions do not drastically alter the conformation or the receptor-binding properties of native CTB. Plasmids were also constructed encoding CTB hybrid proteins which had either an 11-aa peptide from hepatitis B virus (HBV) pre-S(2) or one of two peptides related to the heat-stable toxin (STa) of enterotoxigenic Escherichia coli inserted between aa 55 and 64 of CTB. This resulted in the production of HBV::CTB or ST::CTB hybrid proteins and illustrated that the internal permissive site can be used for insertion of peptides of varying aa composition. The reactivity of the inserted epitopes with epitope-specific mAb in GM1-ELISA and immunoblots varied greatly between hybrid proteins and depended on the position in CTB and the aa composition of the inserted peptides. Despite these differences, all the HIV::CTB, ST::CTB and HBV::CTB hybrid proteins could induce low, but significant, levels of serum Ab in mice against gp120, STa or pre-S(2), in addition to strong serum Ab responses against CTB. The Ab response against the internally inserted gp120 peptide was similar to that against the same peptide fused to the N-terminus of CTB, indicating that internally placed peptides had similar immunogenicity to the same peptides added terminally.

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TI Gene fusion of **cholera toxin** B subunit and HBV PreS2 epitope and the antigenicity of **fusion protein**.

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AB A unique EcoRI site was introduced at the 3' end of **cholera toxin** B subunit (CTB) gene by site-directed mutagenesis, polynucleotides encoding 120-145aa epitope of HBV PreS2 were chemically synthesized and fused to the 3' end of **cholera toxin** B subunit gene. The fused gene was over-expressed (about 30 micrograms ml⁻¹) in E. coli, and more than 95% of the **fusion protein** was secreted into the medium. The **fusion protein** expressed was purified by affinity chromatography. The chimera protein obtained bound to ganglioside GM1, and had the antigenicity of both **cholera toxin** B subunit and HBV PreS2 as confirmed by

ELISA. After mice were immunized intramuscularly with the **fusion protein**, anti-CTB antibody and anti-PreS2 antibody were produced. These results indicated that the **fusion protein** retained not only the biological function of CTB but also the antigenicity and the immunogenicity of **cholera toxin B subunit** and HBV PreS2 epitope. This work provided a sound basis for further studies on the construction of engineered peptide vaccine.

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 AN 95152368 MEDLINE
 DN 95152368 PubMed ID: 7849584
 TI Protein crystallography and infectious diseases.
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 AB The current rapid growth in the number of known 3-dimensional protein structures is producing a database of structures that is increasingly useful as a starting point for the development of new medically relevant molecules such as drugs, therapeutic proteins, and vaccines. This development is beautifully illustrated in the recent book, Protein structure: New approaches to disease and therapy (Perutz, 1992). There is a great and growing promise for the design of molecules for the treatment or prevention of a wide variety of diseases, an endeavor made possible by the insights derived from the structure and function of crucial proteins from pathogenic organisms and from man. We present here 2 illustrations of structure-based drug design. The first is the prospect of developing antitrypanosomal drugs based on crystallographic, ligand-binding, and molecular modeling studies of glycolytic glycosomal enzymes from Trypanosomatidae. These unicellular organisms are responsible for several tropical diseases, including African and American trypanosomiasis, as well as various forms of leishmaniasis. Because the target enzymes are also present in the human host, this project is a pioneering study in selective design. The second illustrative case is the prospect of designing anti-cholera drugs based on detailed analysis of the structure of **cholera toxin** and the closely related Escherichia coli heat-labile enterotoxin. Such potential drugs can be targeted either at inhibiting the toxin's receptor binding site or at blocking the toxin's intracellular catalytic activity. Study of the Vibrio cholerae and E. coli toxins serves at the same time as an example of a general approach to structure-based vaccine design. These toxins exhibit a remarkable ability to stimulate the mucosal immune system, and early results have suggested that this property can be maintained by engineered **fusion proteins** based on the native toxin structure. The challenge is thus to incorporate selected epitopes from foreign pathogens into the native framework of the toxin such that crucial features of both the epitope and the toxin are maintained. That is, the modified toxin must continue to evoke a strong mucosal immune response, and this response must be directed against an epitope conformation characteristic of the original pathogen.